year and during the subsequent years of the Seventh Plan;

(c) the reasons for which it has not been possible for Coal India to meet the demand of the steel Plants for low-ash coking coal; and

(d) whether the new financing pattern of the World Bank to adopt sectoral funding for coal industry will help the increased production of low-ash coking coal to meet the requirements of the steel plants and if so, to what extent it will bring down the import of coking coal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF STEEL (SHRI K. NATWAR SINGH): (a) to (d) SAIL imported the following quantities of coking coal in the past:

(In million tonnes)

Year	Quantity
1980-81	0.444
1981-82	0.648
1982-83	1.380
1983-84	0.463
1984-85	0.665

SAIL expects to import approximately 1.5 million tonnes of coking coal in 1985-86.

The Working Group on coking coal availability during the VII Plan has worked out the likely domestic production of coking coal based on projections of coking coal availability during the VII Plan. The Working Group on Iron & Steel has assessed that adequate quantities of domestic prime coking coal will not be available to achieve the hot metal production targets of the VII Plan. The shortfalls of prime coking coal availability has been identified as 0.438 million tonnes, 0.398 million tonnes, 0.577 million tonnes and 0.228 million tonnes during 1986-87, 1987-88, 1988-89 and 1989-90 respectively. The actual quantities of imports will depend upon actual coal production and hot metal production from year to year.

The availability of coking coal during the VII Plan takes into consideration the production likely to become available from the World Bank aided projects.

Control on Government Expenditure in plan and non-plan areas

11. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether any action plan has been drawn by his Ministry to monitor and control Government expenditure, both at the Central and State levels, in Plan as well as in non-Plan areas;

(b) if so, what are the broad outlines thereof; and

(c) what machinery has been devised to implement this plan at the Central and State levels?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Expenditure of the Central Government both Plan and non-Plan would be monitored at regular intervals so as to take corrective measures whenever necessary. In so far as States are concerned the Centre is closely watching the overdraft position.

(c) For the present, it is proposed to initiate the above monitoring work through the existing machinery itself.

Setting up of Wool Board

12. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA: Will the Minister of SUPPLY AND TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up a Wool Board soon;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) whether in view of the great potential for sheep-breeding in some parts of